

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: SVEINN OLAFSSON

SERIAL NO.: 09/670,028

FILED: September 26, 2000

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING
MATERIALS BY APPLYING A CONTROLLED
SUCCESSION OF THERMAL SPIKES OR
SHOCKWAVES THROUGH A GROWTH MEDIUM

GROUP ART UNIT: 1762

EXAMINER: Unassigned

ATTY. REFERENCE: JEK/BEU/OLAFSSON

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims		- ¹	= ³	× \$ 9 =	× \$ 18 =
Independent Claims		- ²	= ³	× \$ 40 =	× \$ 80 =
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$135 =	+ \$270 =
TOTAL					

¹ If less than 20 enter 20.² If less than 3 enter 3.³ If less than 0 enter 0.

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account Number 02-0200 in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☒ Also enclosed is/are: **Information Disclosure Statement; PTO-1449; cited references; Submission of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-14)**

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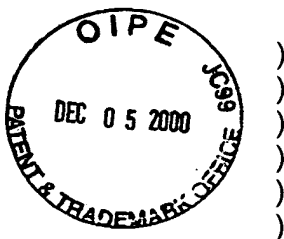
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SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Please replace the informal drawings filed with the application with the
attached formal drawings (Figs. 1-14).

Respectfully submitted,
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "By E. Urcia".

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